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	AB	<del>1,306,363</del>	<del>06/1919</del>	<del>Warman</del>			
PdE	AC	1,542,272	06/1925	Ravelo			
PdE	AD	1,688,950	10/1928	Wait			
PdE	AE	1,807,640	06/1931	Thomas			
PdE	AF	1,726,956	09/1929	Hudson			
PdE	AG	1,911,413	05/1933	Wait			
PdE	AH	2,525,964	10/1950	Slaback			
PdE	AI	2,580,755	01/1952	<del>Holmes et al.</del> Funk			
PdE	AJ	2,649,308	08/1953	Bice, Jr.			
PdE	AK	2,650,849	09/1953	Poncher et al.			

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PdE	AL	323,468	12/1929	Great Britain				
PdE	AM	1,524,296	04/1968	France				X
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	AO							
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OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)		
PdE	AR	Setina Push Bumpers at www.setina.com, 4 pgs. 10/13/99
PdE	AS	Setina Manufacturing Police Vehicle Equipment 2001 brochure, cover and pgs. 10 and 11.
PdE	AT	Setina Manufacturing Police Vehicle Equipment 2000 brochure, cover and pgs. 10 and 11.

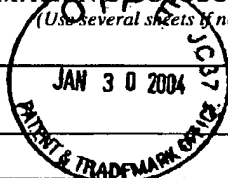
  

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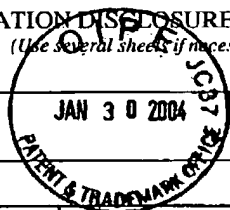
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PdE	BF	3,470,598	10/1969	Berthelsen			
PdE	BG	3,610,609	10/1971	Sobel			
PdE	BH	3,746,383	07/1973	Davis			
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PdE	BR	Setina Manufacturing Co., Inc. Bodyguard PB200 Series bumpers brochure, 2 pgs.					
PdE	BS	Setina Manufacturing Police Vehicle Equipment brochure, cover and pg. 6, March 1998.					
PdE	BT	Setina Models 3000 and 3100 Specifications, 1 pg.					
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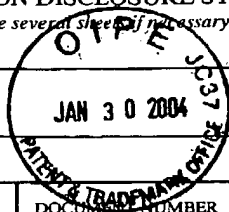
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PdE	CE	4,641,870	02/1987	Heyman			
PdE	CF	4,753,447	06/1988	Hall			
PdE	CG	4,825,975	05/1989	Symes			
PdE	CH	4,964,256	10/1990	McCracken			
PdE	CI	5,067,760	11/1991	Moore et al.			
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PdE	CR	Rhino Guards! brochure, 4 pgs., circa July 1999.
PdE	CS	Go Rhino! Products "The Experts in Front End Protection", 3 pgs.
PdE	CT	Troy Products 2001 Vehicle Equipment Catalog, cover and pgs. 25 and 26.

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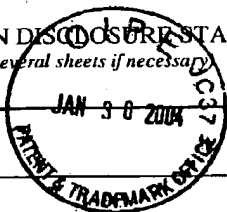
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PSE	DD	Des. 395,416	06/1998	Shklyaver			
PSE	DE	Des. 396,678	08/1998	Shklyaver			
	DF	5,839,759	11/1998	Trigo			
PSE	DG	6,022,057	02/2000	Vermeulen			
PSE	DH	6,113,164	09/2000	Setina			
PSE	DI	6,231,093	05/2001	Storer			
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PSE	DR	Troy Push Bumpers 2 pgs.	
PSE	DS	Troy Public Safety Products, cover and pg. 1, 1993	
PSE	DT	Inch's Tooling & Machining Internal and External Vehicle Brackets literature, 1 pg., at least as early as 12/99.	

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Pfz	ER		Inch's Tooling & Machining drawing of 1999 CV Push Bumper w/Pads
Pfz	ES		Pro-Gard Series E1000 Bumper Guard installation instructions, 11/1998
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